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Appellant: Thomas Zeng et al.

Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR RETRIEVING DIGITAL
MULTIMEDIA CONTENT FROM A NETWORK NODE

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE
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Sir:

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Respectfully submitted,

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